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31/... Protecting human rights defenders addressing economic, social and cultural rights

Paragraph 19 *should read*

19. *Encourages* States to avail themselves of technical assistance where necessary, and based on mutual consent, in follow-up to the present and previous resolutions of the General Assembly and the Human Rights Council on the protection of human rights defenders, such as through collaboration with national human rights institutions, regional organizations, the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights and relevant special procedures, and other relevant international agencies and organizations, as well as with other States;

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